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## Personal Statement

A customer-focused and analytic Software Engineer who can think "out of the box". Strong in design and integration problem solving skills. Expert in PHP, jQuery, Javascript, GNU/Linux and MySQL with database analysis and design. Drupal module and theme developer. Skilled in developing requirements specifications, user documentation, and architectural systems research. Strong written and verbal communications. Interested in a challenging technical track career in web-based application development environments.

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## Technical Highlights

- Strong back end developer with wide skill set.
  - Experience in web performance and scalability, load distribution
  - Object Oriented PHP 5 MySQL web developer.
  - Specialized in high end, enterprise level Drupal websites.
  - Managing and supporting multiple projects.
  - Over 8 years developing for the Internet
  - Highly adaptable in quickly changing technical environments with very strong organizational and analytical skills.
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## Professional Experience

### • Splendia.com

*Software Analyst*

**Barcelona**

*2012 – Present*

- Code refactoring and development using TDD and BDD.
- Migration of PHP templates and layouts to Twig.
- Generation and migration of ORM model to Doctrine Entities, using proxies and repositories.
- Migration of Shells and Cron Processes to The Console Component (Symfony2)

### • Riplife, Bodog Europe

*PHP & Drupal Developer*

**Barcelona**

*2011 – 2012*

- Developed and maintained high quality web applications using PHP, Javascript, HTML & CSS.
- Built High-Performance and High-Demand websites.
- Participated in all aspects of the software development lifecycle.
- Built jQuery enriched back-end user interfaces to deliver a friendly user experience.
- Collaborated with other teams and get in touch with the latest technologies (Java RESTful web services, Ajax...).
- Developed Drupal modules based on Use Cases and high level Stories.
- Refactoring and optimizing preexisting code.
- Solving Continuous Integration faced need for all PHP Projects.
- Worked closely with product managers, designers, front-end developers and quality analysts in a highly collaborative environment.

• **Riplife, Bodog Europe**  
*PHP & Drupal Developer*

**Málaga**  
2010 – 2011

- Played the role of Tech Owner of the first PHP Project in the Company.
- Created the architecture and documentation for futures PHP projects.
- Developed PHP clients to integrate with the Java Services of the Company architecture.
- Building a new Deployment System of Drupal based on Ruby and Capistrano.
- Developed the functionality to push databases and assets across all the environments (*Content Synchronization*) .

• **Ingenia, Ingeniería e Integracion Avanzadas.**  
*Drupal Developer*

**Málaga**  
2009 – 2010

- Integration with third-party APIs like Booking.com and Amazon.com.
- Maintenance and updating of Drupal modules from Drupal 5 to Drupal 6.
- Produced prototypes to communicate user interactions and design ideas.

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## Education

• **Universidad de Málaga, U.M.A.**  
*Ingeniería Técnica Informática de Sistemas*

**Málaga**  
2003 – 2009

Resume of the Dissertation: *GlueWeb: A Case Tool for Web architectural layers interconnect*

Eclipse IDE Plugin developed to link different Web Architectures into three layers: User Interface, Business Logic and Database, through Driven Software Models (UML) and automatic code generation. Written in Java and LATEX.

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## Publications

• **Expert in Drupal 7. Vol I**

**Forcontu Editorial**  
2013

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## Core Technical Skills

**CMS:** Drupal ( 5+years )

**Web:** PHP ( 8+years ), AJAX, MySQL, REST, SOAP, XML, jQuery.

**Continuous Integration:** PHPUnit, Maven, Jenkins, Bamboo

**Other Languages:** Java, C++

**IDEs:** Sublime Text, NetBeans, Eclipse.

**Frameworks:** Zend Platform, Symfony2, Codeigniter

**OS:** Linux, MacOS, Windows

**Version Control:** Git, SVN

**Software Development Methodologies:** Agile, Scrum, Kanban, Waterfall

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## Languages

**Spanish:** Native

**English:** Professional working proficiency

**French:** Elementary proficiency